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Please consider the following Amendment and Response to the Office Action mailed August 31, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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